

INTERFACE BUNDLES IN VIRTUAL NETWORK DEVICES

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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

[0095] A virtual network device includes several different virtual network device sub-units, which collectively operate as a single logical network device. An interface bundle includes interfaces in more than one of the different virtual network device sub-units included in the virtual network device. The interface bundle is coupled to a virtual link bundle, which connects the virtual network device to another device. The interface bundle is managed as a single logical interface.